

UNITED STATES DISTRICT COURT FOR THE
WESTERN DISTRICT OF NEW YORK

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BLACK LOVE RESISTS IN THE RUST by and
through its Co-Directors NATASHA SOTO and
SHAKETA REDDEN and on behalf of its mem-
bers; DORETHEA FRANKLIN; TANQUA
SIMMONS; DE'JON HALL; and JANE DOE, in-
dividually and on behalf of a class of all others sim-
ilarly situated;

Plaintiffs,

**Case No. 1:18-cv-00719-CCR
JUDGE REISS**

- VS -

CITY OF BUFFALO, N.Y.; BYRON B. BROWN,
Mayor of the City of Buffalo, in his individual and
official capacities; BYRON C. LOCKWOOD,
Commissioner of the Buffalo Police Department, in
his individual and official capacities; DANIEL
DERENDA, former Commissioner of the Buffalo
Police Department, in his individual capacity;
AARON YOUNG, KEVIN BRINKWORTH,
PHILIP SERAFINI, ROBBIN THOMAS,
UNKNOWN SUPERVISORY PERSONNEL 1-10,
UNKNOWN OFFICERS 1-20, each officers of the
Buffalo Police Department, in their individual ca-
pacities.

Defendants.

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MOTION TO WITHDRAW AS COUNSEL

Pursuant to Rule 83.2(d) of the Local Rules of the United States District Court for
the Western District of New York, Plaintiffs Black Love Resists in the Rust ("Black Love Re-
sists" or "BLRR") and individual plaintiffs and class representatives, Dorethea Franklin, Taniqua
Simmons, De'Jon Hall, and Jane Doe, by and through counsel, respectfully move the Court to
allow Anjana Malhotra to withdraw as counsel of record in the above-captioned proceeding. I

have accepted a position with the New York State Attorney General's Civil Rights Bureau as an Assistant Attorney General. No party will be prejudiced or otherwise affected by my withdrawal, as there is ample excellent and able co-counsel representing plaintiffs on this matter.

Dated: June 26, 2019

Respectfully submitted,

/s/ Anjana Malhotra

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CERTIFICATE OF SERVICE

I hereby certify that on the 26th day of June, 2019, I served the foregoing Motion to Withdraw as Counsel on

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by filing a true and correct copy of it with the Court using the CM/ECF system, which caused notice to be sent notice to all counsel of record who are registered with the CM/ECF system.

/s/ Anjana Malhotra

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